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1. "GAVR" REPORTS ON BRITISH SECURITY CO-ORDINATION: "THE BAR",  
"UCN 9", HALPERN
2. "OFITsER"  
(1943)

From: NEW YORK

To: MOSCOW

No: 974

22 June 1943

TO VIKTOR [i].

Further to our telegram No. 528[ii]:

1. "GAVR" [iii] reports that "British Security Co-ordination" is a British intelligence organisation

[13 groups unrecovered]

with "the BAR" [iv]. (This is evidently "UCN9'A" [v] go-between, whose name he did not give us.)

HALPERN[vi] is, in fact, concerned with this organisation. He

[16 groups unrecovered]

HALPERN works chiefly on questions

[22 groups unrecovered]

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2. In connection with the processing of "OFITsER"[vii] [1 group unrecovered]  
ER[viii], I [3 groups unrecovered]

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MAKSIM [ix]

Footnotes: [i] VIKTOR Lt. Gen. P.M. FITIN.

[ii] NEW YORK's No. 952 of 21 June 1943 ( ).

[iii] GAVR: i.e. "HAVRE"; possibly ( ) at one  
time employed by British Security Co-ordination.

[iv] BAR: Probably British Security Intelligence Service.

[v] UCN9: Unidentified code group used as a covername;  
probably Cedric BELFRAGE, employed at British  
Security Co-ordination December 1941-  
December 1943.

[vi] HALPERN: Alexander HALPERN was head of the Minorities  
Section of British Security Co-ordination.

[vii] OFITsER: i.e. "OFFICER"; Captain Jan FIERLINGER,  
Information Officer at the Czechoslovak  
Consulate in NEW YORK.

[viii] Either "by ....ER" or "as a ....ER".

[ix] MAKSIM: Vasilij Mikhajlovich ZUBILIN, Soviet Vice-  
Consul in NEW YORK.

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